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SUBJECT: QUEBEC PREMIER LEVESQUE'S NEW YORK SPEECH

1. VANCOUVER SUN LEAD EDITORIAL OF JANUARY 27 CHARACTERIZES PREMIER RENE LEVESQUE'S NEW YORK SPEECH AS A "DISSERVICE, BECAUSE HIS MISSION TO NEW YORK ON BEHALF OF THE QUEBEC PEOPLE WAS NOT PROCLAIM THE INEVITABILITY OF SEPARATION BUT RATHER TO SELL ASSURANCES THAT HIS PARTY CAN GOVERN WELL AND MAINTAIN QUEBEC AS AN ATTRACTIVE PLACE FOR INVESTORS' MONEY".
 2. EDITORIAL REGRETS THAT LEVESQUE FAILED TO UNDERSTAND THAT HIS AUDIENCE WAS NOT INTERESTED IN HIS "PREACHING IDEOLOGY", BUT WAS "MORE CONCERNED WITH SEEING A HANDSOME BOTTOM-LINE ON GOVERNMENT ECONOMIC MANAGEMENT". INSTEAD, "THEY WERE PRESENTED WITH A BEGUILING LOCHINVAR, A ROMANTIC PEDDLING A DREAM...." EDITORIAL CONCLUDES THAT UNFORTUNATELY "IT IS THE QUEBEC PEOPLE WHO WILL SUFFER IF THE MONEY TAPS ARE TURNED OFF".
 3. CLIPPING BEING MAILED TO ADDRESSEES.
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